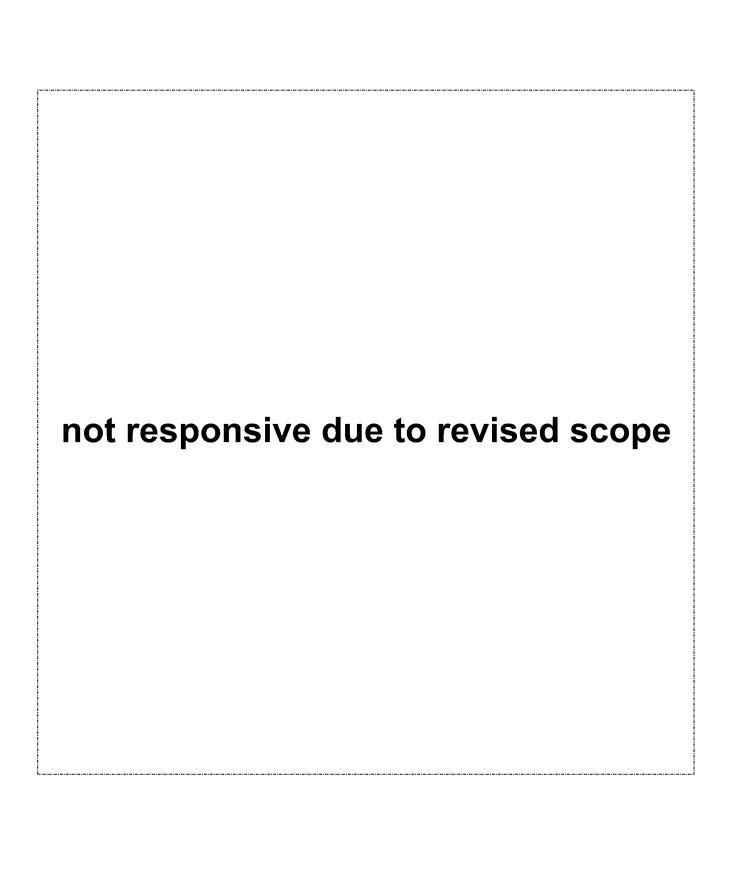
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• GenX Update – Regions 4, 5 and HQs are the primary parties involved. WPD contacted Chemours (formerly DuPont), WV and confirmed that the compound is manufactured at the Chemours facility in Fayetteville, NC. In addition, GenX replaced PFOA as a processing aid for the manufacture of Teflon at the Chemours Washington Works, WV facility. This transition took place about 3 or 4 years ago. WPD was informed that approximately 1-2 ppb GenX is discharged in the outfall to the Ohio River. A HQs TSCA Consent Order (that we are told supersedes NPDES regs) allows for 100 ppb. The monthly NPDES DMR includes monitoring results for GenX. The facility spokesperson said GenX is persistent in the environment but the primary benefit of GenX is that is eliminates from the body very quickly (24 hrs) unlike PFOA which has a half-life of 2-5 yrs. Air emissions are dramatically reduced (99+%) due to state-of-the-art scrubbers at Washington Works.

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